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Huge Variance in Personnel
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

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(a) Whether there is huge variance in the data about the strength of personnel of Central Government employees between the expenditure budget and Directorate General of Employment and Training as per the 7th Central Pay Commission report, if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has taken any step to analyze the cause for the variance, if so, the details thereof; and

(c) If so, the steps the Government have taken to ensure that homogenous data for personnel strength is available for adequate planning to regulate the expenditure budget of the Government?

Answer

(a) to (c) The variance in data as reported by 7th Pay Commission is due to difference in parameters adopted by different agencies. The data compiled for Expenditure Budget is based on information on the estimated strength of establishment as provided by various Ministries/Departments. The information thus compiled is in respect of Govt. establishments and grantee institutions/ bodies and excludes casual labour engaged on daily wages. The publication of the report on the "Census of Central Government Employees" brought out by DGET has since been discontinued from 2011 onwards in view of the poor response rate from the Ministries and field offices in the various states.